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SUBJECT: VICE MINISTER OF GOVERNMENT PRESSES FIGHT AGAINST

TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS

REF: A. 05 MANAGUA 3116

1B. 05 MANAGUA 2852

1. (U) On January 24, polcouns and poloff met Vice Minister of Government Deyanira Arguello to discuss the status of various GON efforts to cc

2. (U) Poloffs urged the Vice Minister to send the Embassy a tightly-focused anti-trafficking proposal that post will submit to G/TIP for poss

3. (U) Arguello assured us that the GON will continue to lobby the National Assembly for the approval of the Criminal Code, work to strengthen

4. (U) Arguello's assistant, Maria Gabriella Zuniga, who runs the Ministry's anti-TIP office, informed poloffs that three suspected trafficker

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